

## December Luncheon Plans Outlined for Clubwomen

Torrance Woman's Club December meeting will be held next Wednesday in the clubhouse and will feature a catered luncheon honoring November and December birthdays of members.

Luncheon reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Bob. L. Haggard, 1046 W. W. not later than Monday evening.

A delightful program has been arranged by Mrs. B. W. Roberts, who announces that Fanny MacEnroe will present dramatic and humorous reviews of recent books. The brilliant dramatic book reviewer is noted for her outstanding methods of dramatizing scenes from books. Her impersonations are versatile and vivid; her moods changing and distinctive.

Attention has been called to the Mary Hogart 12th annual

Juvenile Hall doll party scheduled for December 8. Each member has been asked to supply a doll or cuddle toy which may be brought to the luncheon meeting and will be forwarded to the proper persons.

Toys or games for Indian children from two to ten years of age also are being collected to be sent to Lighted Rock, Arizona, according to Mrs. A. E. Palmer, philanthropy, chairman.

## Porter-White Vows Told In Long Beach Ceremony

At home at 1414 Cravens avenue are William B. Porter and his bride, the former Miss LaVerne Audra White of Long Beach.

The couple exchanged nuptial vows in a ceremony performed in Community Methodist Church, Long Beach. A reception followed at the church.

The bride was beautifully attired in eggshell satin fashioned with lace insertion. Her fingertip veil was draped from a band of lilies of the valley and she carried a shower bouquet of red roses surrounded by bouvardia and gardenias.

Miss Virginia Eberhart, attended the bride in light rose taffeta complemented by a bouquet of white carnations and gardenias, and James Porter was his brother's best man. Seating the guests were John A. Durlow and William Haskell.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil White of Long Beach and her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Porter of 2100 Lincoln avenue.

## Women's Activities



MR. AND MRS. EUGENE WADE HOLLOWOM.

## Eugene Hollomon Claims Lovely Bride at Altar

Garden Wedding Chapel, Long Beach was the setting for the Sunday evening candlelight ceremony which united in marriage Miss Jacquie King and Eugene Wade Hollomon. Rev. P. E. Lucas officiated in the presence of 100 guests. A reception followed at the chapel.

The lovely bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. King Sr., of 803 Beech avenue, chose as her wedding attire a yellow gabardine suit with navy accessories and her flowers were white orchids and violets.

Mrs. Edwin E. King Jr. attended her sister-in-law as matron of honor wearing a gold suit with purple orchids and yellow roses.

Jerry Hollomon stood with his brother as best man and ushers were William Dietlin and Donald Fulton.

Miss Wanda Hollomon, sister of the bridegroom, was guest book registrar.

Proceeding the ceremony "Because," "It's Magic" and "Ave Maria" were sung.

The bride was graduated from Torrance High School last June and is employed at Almond's

Department Store. Her husband, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hollomon of 1625 Crenshaw boulevard, also received his diploma from Torrance High School, served with the United States Navy during World War II and is employed with Arden Farms, Los Angeles.

They will receive their friends at Apartment 8, 1617 Arlington avenue.

Following their reception, Mr. and Mrs. Hollomon left for a honeymoon in Las Vegas, Grand Canyon and Zion National Park, visiting points of interest in Arizona and Utah enroute.

## Methodists Plan Bazaar December 8

Final plans for their annual bazaar and turkey dinner set for Friday, December 8, are being completed by members of the WSCS of Methodist Church. Dinner will be served beginning at 5:30, and the bazaar will open at 10 a. m. All the circles will cooperate for the success of the ways and means projects.

Announcement of a new Missionary study class to begin today in the ladies' parlor has been made by Mrs. Lenore Gray, director. Classes will meet at 1 p. m. with the "Near East" as the topic for discussion and study.

A representative group motored to Paramount yesterday to mark the tenth anniversary of Women's Society of Christian Service.

## War Mothers To Install December 6

The newly instituted Torrance Chapter 71, American War Mothers, will install officers Wednesday, December 6, at 8 p. m., in Legion Clubhouse, 1109 Border avenue. Mothers having sons or daughters in service are cordially invited.

The installation team will be composed of Long Beach members, it was announced.

Membership in this chapter will enable local mothers of service men and women to assist with the splendid work planned for the benefit of these boys and girls, their families, and those hospitalized.

## Meeting Plans Made by Board

Plans for the Torrance High School PTA January open meeting were on the agenda of the executive board session held last Tuesday at the school, with Mrs. Grover C. VanDeventer presiding, according to Mrs. John Spiller, news service chairman.

## DeMolays Spaghetti Dinner 9th

The home of Mrs. Juanita Thompson was the meeting place for De Molay Mothers Circle last Tuesday evening when Mrs. Rosalie Morgan presided and heard reports of committees.

Special reports on ways and means were discussed and the members listened attentively to Mrs. Dougherty's review of the grand council meeting at Wilmington, which she attended as delegate.

Visitors were C. E. Chambers, De Molay "Dad," and Bob Foster, who informed the group on points of interest to the organization.

Attention was called to the De Molay spaghetti dinner at Masonic Temple on December 9 from 5 until 7 p. m.

## Gold Star Mothers to Meet 6th

Torrance Memorial Chapter of Gold Star Mothers will meet in Legion Clubhouse Wednesday, December 6, at 2 p. m. Lucy Vigil, president, will conduct the semi-monthly session.

With election of officers being discussed, a full attendance is requested at this meeting, according to Jeannette E. King, news service chairman.

## CLASS IN FIRST AID

Local Red Cross leaders today announced the organization of a class in First Aid which started last night.

The group meets Wednesday at Harbor General Hospital, and upon successful completion of the course, will be awarded Red Cross certificates.

The training of men and women in first aid has been stamped by the National Security Resources Board as one of the chief responsibilities for Red Cross in civil defense planning.

These classes are geared to prepare citizens for self help and to be of help to others in time of any emergency, local Red Cross leaders stated.

## Holly Riviera Group Plans Staff Meeting

Hollywood Riviera Cooperative Nursery School will hold a staff meeting December 7 at the home of Mrs. Thomas Mabin, 209 Via Colusa, Hollywood Riviera.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. Mary Burnett, nationally known in cooperative nursing groups, and for the past two and a half years associated with Santa Monica Cooperative Nursing Group as its director. Her subject will be "Child Growth and Development." A large attendance of parents and their guests is anticipated.

## WBAs Plan Meeting December 5

Women's Benefit Association, Review 37, whose president is Mrs. Anna Stadig, will meet Tuesday, December 5, at 2322 El Dorado avenue. A full attendance is requested.

## Plan Two-Day Rummage Sale

Mrs. Noel Morin and Mrs. Cleon Richmond are co-chairmen for a two-day Nativity Parish-sponsored rummage sale to be held Friday and Saturday at 1214 El Prado.

Clothing and other gifts for war victims of Korea also will be received by the ladies.

## Halldale PTA Board Plans Yule Party

Following tomorrow's meeting at Halldale Avenue School, which has been scheduled for 9 a. m., members of the executive board will enjoy a Christmas party with an exchange of gifts, and refreshments will be served. Mrs. E. M. Bernardin, president, will conduct the business meeting.

## TORRANCE RNAs HOSTESS COLORFUL DISTRICT MEET

The South Bay District meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America was held on Tuesday evening in Woman's clubhouse, with Torrance as the hostess camp. Representatives from the five other camps comprising the district were in attendance, as well as visitors from nearby cities. Deputy Mamie L. Kirchner of Culver City, presented by Oracle Hazel Hutton of Torrance, presided over the meeting.

The annual membership campaign throughout the United States, now in progress, is known as the "Round-Up" campaign. During the year the Western theme is emphasized in programs and decorations by all camps. Torrance Camp has been known as Circle T Ranch during the campaign. The table decorations were in brown and green, with cowboys and horses used as ornaments. Menu featured genuine Western baked beans, cole slaw, hot rolls, relishes and coffee.

During her address Deputy Kirchner explained the various plans of insurance now being written by the society — for children from day of birth — for adults to age 60. The Royal Neighbor Home for retired members is located at Davenport, Ill.; the national office is in Rock Island, Ill.

The program of entertainment featured a fancy drill team, which exemplified the work in a very impressive manner. Wearing their new Western costumes for the first time in public, the team members' skirts were of blue denim, fringed at the bottom; their white shirts had a Circle T emblem, cowboy hats and brown shoes. Twelve members comprise the team, whose captain is neighbor Jean Hannan.

Several dance numbers were given by juvenile members, and a Barbet Shop Quartet from Long Beach, under the direction of Mrs. Beulah Sanders sang several numbers in appropriate costume. They are known as The Barbettes. Miss Patricia Dunmyer, Tad Dale and Jerry Nichols also pleased the audience with several songs and accordion numbers. Mrs. Mary West of San Diego, a member of Torrance Camp, presented a clever skit.

Officers and many of the members wore ankle-length print dresses to carry out the pioneer Western theme.

The various committees worked faithfully to make this meeting a success and are to be complimented on a job well done.

## Donna Wolf Heads Bethel

Election of officers featured the November meeting of Torrance Bethel 50, Job's Daughters with Miss Donna Wolf unanimously elected as honored guest.

Other officers elected are: Marian McDonald, senior princess; Mary Ann Lenton, junior princess; Ann Olson, guide and Ann Marie Bishop, marshal.

Miss Wolf announced that her installation is to be held Saturday evening, December 16, with practices scheduled for December 3 at 2 p. m. and December 9 at 1 p. m.

## AT YOUNG HOME

Mrs. Leonard J. Young is entertaining at her house guests her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Boyce of Denver, Colo.

Next regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors of Torrance will be held on Tuesday, December 5, at 8 p. m. in the Woman's Club, when election of officers will be held. Also plans will be completed for the annual Christmas dinner for members. This evening dinner will be held December 19 in the clubhouse.

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## HOSPITAL BENEFIT PLANNED

Plans are being completed by the hospital committee of Torrance Women of the Moose for a delightful desert card party in their clubhouse, 1744 Carson street, at 12:30 Thursday, December 7. Everyone is invited.

Delicious refreshments and attractive prizes for each table will add to the enjoyment of the benefit affair. Proceeds will purchase 30 pairs of hosiery and other personal gifts for women patients in Ward D-5 of Harbor General Hospital, the chairman, Mrs. Lucille Meyer, announced.

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